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Mr. Jim Slater
BALTIMORE'S ONE STOP RADIO SHOP
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Dear Mr. Slater:

Thank you for your recent proposal regarding the "Fifth Annual Stone Soul Picnic" which was forwarded to me for sponsorship consideration.

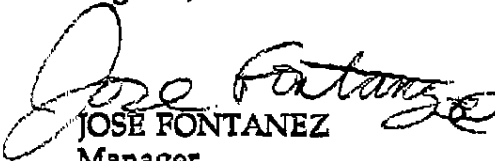
As you might expect, Philip Morris USA has a very active promotional program that fits precise criteria developed to achieve our marketing goals.

We have reviewed your proposal carefully and have determined that it does not fit into our promotional plans at this time.

We appreciate your taking the time to submit a proposal to us, and please feel free to contact us again as future opportunities may arise.

Thank you for your interest in Philip Morris USA, and please accept our best wishes for continued success.

Regards,


JOSE FONTANEZ
Manager
Community Event Marketing

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